

BEFORE THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

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In the Matter of )  
 ) MUR 6460  
Friends of Jim Bender/Bender for )  
Senate and Frank Mancl, in his official )  
capacity as treasurer; James C. Bender: )  
Dismissal and Case Closure (EPS) )

AMENDED CERTIFICATION

I, Shelley E. Garr, recording secretary for the Federal Election Commission executive session on October 18, 2011, do hereby certify that the Commission decided by a vote of 5-0 to take the following actions in MUR 6460:

1. Approve the General Counsel's Report with edits as previously circulated.
2. Find no reason to believe that Friends of Jim Bender/Bender for Senate and Frank Mancl, in his official capacity as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. §§ 441a(f) or 441b(a), or underlying regulations.
3. Find no reason to believe that James Bender violated the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended, or underlying regulations.
4. Find no reason to believe that Swiftcurrent Strategies violated 2 U.S.C. §§ 441a(a)(1)(A) or 441b(a), or underlying regulations.
5. Dismiss the allegations that Friends of Jim Bender/Bender for Senate and Frank Mancl, in his official capacity as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. § 434(b) and 11 C.F.R. § 116.10(a).
6. Close the file and approve the appropriate letters.

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Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision. Commissioner Walther did not vote.

Attest:

October 31, 2011  
Date

Shelley E. Garr  
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Deputy Secretary of the Commission

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